

# Seaforth Parent Advisory Council

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This past month has been a hauntingly good time here at Seaforth. Teachers and students have been having fun working together for the Halloween assembly on October 31<sup>st</sup>. Thanks to Mrs. Moore and some of our grade seven students for organizing the PAC sponsored Great Pumpkin Walk. These events are always a pleasure to see along with the enthusiasm of everyone involved, and really do make Seaforth a great place to be.

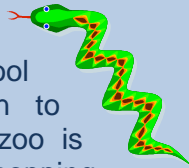
This newsletter highlights some of our upcoming events at Seaforth. I encourage you to pass along any information you may like to see in the PAC newsletters along with any recommendations for guest speakers at our meetings.

The PAC also has its own webpage with a link accessible through the "Parents" menu on the École Seaforth Elementary School website.

<http://www.seaforthpac.net>. PAC newsletters from current and previous years can be found on this link. As always, if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask. Your PAC is here to support our Seaforth families.

## Thrilling Thursdays!

Our first Thrilling Thursday for the school year is **November 13<sup>th</sup>** and open to Kindergartens to Grade 3. Cinemazoo is coming with 20 slithering, crawling, hopping and flying animals! Come down during the noon hour to see the menagerie that includes a Snapping Turtle, a Bearded Dragon and a Sugar Glider. Sincerely, Cheryl Tong.



## Eagle Creek Salmon Have Returned

Be sure to stroll down to Eagle Creek near Charles Rummel Park in the next few weeks to see the salmon spawning. This is a rare sight in our own backyard that you won't want to miss.



## Crossing Guards

Adults are needed to supervise our student crossing guard volunteers before and after school each day. Without volunteers we are unable to run this program at Seaforth. If you are able to help cover a shift Mon-Fri 8:45-9:00am or afterschool 2:55-3:10 Please contact the school office or Shannon Chin [shannonchin@shaw.ca](mailto:shannonchin@shaw.ca) Please help our kids arrive and leave school safely.

## Family Photo Night

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2014  
Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2014  
Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2014  
Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2014



We raised \$1200 for the school during this year's family photo night. Thank you to all the families who took part. A special thanks to all our volunteers: Mr. Laphorne and his class, Ann Einsten, Ashley Tattie, Betty Eng, Birdie Chan, Eszter Nemeth, Jeniffer Heft, Joanne Lee, Nazanin Mangloruri, Suzanne Belanger and Suzanna Garcia, your time is always appreciated – Siva Ramesh

## SEAFORTH SPOOK

### The Second Haunting....

On October 27<sup>th</sup> Boston Pizza was haunted by the many families that came out to enjoy this frightfully fun night. Door prizes were handed out along with our many raffle items including our Vancouver Canuck #3 Kevin Beiksa Jersey to Elio Iorio. The Sundae bar was enjoyed by all the children. Congratulations to all our winners.



## Donation Request November 3-17<sup>th</sup> 2014

Our Seaforth Elementary School PAC has begun a fundraising campaign that will run from November 3-17<sup>th</sup> 2014. Proceeds from your contributions will go towards classroom funding. Please see the attached Donation Request Letter for more information. Tax receipts are available for donations above \$20.

<https://burnaby.schoolcashonline.com>. Cheques can also be made out to Seaforth Elementary School. Your support and generosity are greatly appreciated.



Many of our students will be participating in a creative fundraising program this holiday season that will see your child's art turned into a festive holiday card.

In the next few weeks a template for your child's seasonal picture may be sent home or completed in the classroom. [ART CARDS by Kids](#) will then send a sample card with your children's art to the school. If you would like to order additional cards please return your sample card and payment by the due date indicated.

We hope you enjoy this ART CARDS by Kids project and look forward to seeing these creative cards on display.

## Seaforth Hot Lunch Program



Thank you to the many families who supported our Seaforth Hot Lunch Program during the first term. This successful volunteer run program provides funding to your Seaforth PAC, Grade 7 Grad and Quebec Trip. If you need any assistance regarding ordering or have any lunch related questions please contact **Cheryl Healey** [Chair@Seaforthpac.net](mailto:Chair@Seaforthpac.net) or your Hot Lunch Coordinators for more information.

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Cotto Gift Cards are also available for a limited time through the fundraising option on the Munch a Lunch website.

Proceeds will benefit your Seaforth PAC.



## Community Connection Night

**November 19<sup>th</sup> 7pm**

## Guest Speakers



Donna Savoie  
Recreation Coordinator-  
Community Programs

Donna will offer information and receive feedback on winter programs in our community.



Yannie Wong  
Club Coordinator  
North Burnaby Boys and Girls  
Club  
Website: [www.bgcbc.ca](http://www.bgcbc.ca)

Yannie represents the Boys and Girls Club located at 518 Howard Ave, Burnaby, Phone: (604) 299-7040. Their 12 neighbourhood Clubs give kids a place to be amazing, safe, and have fun! They also provide substance-abuse services and support to some of the most vulnerable youth in our community. They offer counselling and employment services for youth and families. Programs are available for families with new babies, toddlers, pre-schoolers, and parents of teens.

Our next PAC Meeting will be **November 19<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in the school library**. Childcare and light refreshments will be provided. Everyone is welcome to attend and I look forward to seeing you there.

Sincerely,

Cheryl Healey  
PAC Chairperson  
Seaforth Elementary School  
[Chair@Seaforthpac.net](mailto:Chair@Seaforthpac.net)

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## Donation Request

The Seaforth Parent Advisory Council puts forth a request each fall for donations from Seaforth families. Through your support and contributions we can continue to make our school an amazing place for our children. Your Seaforth PAC supports many of the school programs and receives funding from a variety of sources: hot lunch, popcorn Fridays, Christmas ArtCards, Carnival and Family Socials. They also come from your generous donations.

The strength of our school community combined with our children's learning environment provide for an optimal educational experience. Together we do make a difference.

The funds received this year through your donation will benefit your child directly by providing classroom funding. With your support and generosity we can reach our fundraising goal of at least \$30.00 a student during our two week campaign November 3-17<sup>th</sup> 2014.

Tax deductible donations can be made online through the SchoolCashOnline payment system or you can make cheques payable to **École Seaforth Elementary School**.

Charitable donations can also be made through employee donation programs using the Burnaby School District Charitable number **#118812940RR0001**. A variety of companies offer donation matching for contributions made through their charities. If you are able to take advantage of this option, please indicate you would like your donation directed to École Seaforth Elementary School.

We all have an opportunity to make a difference in our children's school experience by contributing our time and offering financial support when we are able. Your contributions to École Seaforth Elementary School are greatly appreciated.

Thank you for your support and generosity,

Cheryl Healey  
PAC Chairperson  
Seaforth Elementary School

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### Seaforth Parent Advisory Council Donation Program

Name to appear on Donation Receipt: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to make a donation in the amount of: Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\$30.00 \_\_\_\_\_ \$60.00 \_\_\_\_\_ \$90.00 \_\_\_\_\_ \$120.00 \_\_\_\_\_ \$150.00 \_\_\_\_\_ \$180.00 \_\_\_\_\_

To receive a tax receipt, please make cheques payable to **École Seaforth Elementary School**.

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Thank you for your Support!